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Madrid, October 23. N. S.

THE King is perfectly recovered of his late Indisposition, and the Queen is much better, tho' her Fever has not yet quite left her. Some Days ago the Peace between this Crown and the Duke of Savoy, now King of Sicily, was proclaimed here with the usual Ceremonies, and Illuminations were made upon that account, for three Nights successively. The Lord Lexington, Ambassador Extraordinary of Great Britain, has had a Publick Audience, in which he took Leave of his Majesty, and intends very soon to set out for Bilbao, from whence he will embark for England. The Marquis de Villadarias is gone from hence to Valentia, in order to take upon him that Government; and the Prince de Castillone, Vice Roy of Navarre, is preparing for his departure to that Kingdom. His Majesty has appointed Don Manuel Lopez Pintado to command the Squadron that is fitting out at Cadiz. We have received advice from Catalonia that some French Ships were arrived on that Coast, with Provisions for the Army, which had been in great want of them for some time before. General Nebot having placed a Garrison in the Castle of Cardona, retired to Manresa, but the Inhabitants of that Place refusing to join with him, he directed his March towards the Sea, and escap'd in a small Boat to Barcelona. The Miquelets that were with him endeavouring to force the French Quarters, in order to get into the same Place, were defeated, One hundred and fifty of them killed, and Eighty taken Prisoners. After which, several of them deserted to the Duke de Popoli's Camp, and others, who got away, have since accused Nebot of ill Conduct, whereupon the Government of Barcelona has thought fit to confine him, and a Day is appointed for his Tryal.

Berlin, October 31. N. S. On the 28th the King came from Potsdam to this Place, and the next Day his Majesty was pleased to confer the Order of the Black Eagle upon Baron Goertz, Minister of the Duke-Administrator of Holstein. Monsieur Nostitz, Envoy of King Augustus to the Elector of Hanover, came hither a few Days ago. Count Wakerbart, Minister of the same Prince at the Court of Vienna, has been likewise arrived some time, but was stopt at the Gate in order to perform a short Quarrentine, after which he was admitted into the Town, and they have been frequently in Conference with our Ministers. We have received advice from Pomerania, that the Muscovite Troops have entirely evacuated that Province, and the Saxons are upon their March to follow them into Poland. They write from Vienna, that the Contagious Distemper was very much abated in that City.

Hague, November 6. N. S. The States of Holland and West-Friesland separated on the 4th, and next Week they are to assemble again. The same Day the Sieurs Buys and Van der Dussen, Plenipotentiaries of the States-General, went from hence to Amsterdam. This Morning all the Ministers of the Empire, residing here, were in Conference with the States-General in the Chamber of Treves, upon the Subject of the Neutrality of Luxembourg. Monsieur Van den Berg, Deputy of the States at Brussels, is expected here in a Day or two. We have receiv'd Advice, that the Governor of Fribourg had raised the Water so high, as to overflow the Counterscarp, which had hitherto hinder'd the French from making a general Assault on the Place.

Brussels, Novemb. 8. N. S. We have been inform'd that a strong Party of Prussian Troops went lately into the County of Hainult, demanding Satisfaction for the King their Master's Pretensions upon that Province, under Pain of Military Execution, and several Persons were deliver'd up to them, and carried away as Hostages for those Payments. Upon these Advices, the Regency here have had frequent Conferences with the King of Prussia's Minister, in which they have proposed several Expedients for putting a stop to those Violences: And the States of Brabant are now assembled, to consider of some Means to satisfie that Prince in respect of a like Demand he makes on this Province. Some Deputies of the States of Flanders are arrived here, to obtain from the Council of State the Performance of the Conditions, upon which they granted a Subsidy for a Year, commencing the First of this Month. Count Bossu, Provost of Gand, has lately received the Pope's Nomination to the Bishoprick of Ypres, which the States-General had conferred on Monsieur Kupper, of Bruges. Letters from the Upper Rhine of the 30th past bring an Account, that Fribourg still continued to make a Defence, but it was believ'd that Place would be obliged to surrender within a few Days.

Dublin, October 27. Yesterday in the Afternoon, the Duke of Shrewsbury, Lord Lieutenant of this Kingdom, embarked at Holyhead, and this Afternoon he landed at Ringsend, where he was saluted by a Discharge of Cannon that was placed there for that purpose, and received by four Lords of Her Majesty's Privy-Council, who were appointed by the Lords Justices to Congratulate him on his safe Arrival. From Ringsend his Grace proceeded to the Castle, attended by four Troops of our Militia, by the Sheriffs of the City, by a Guard of Colonel Bland's Regiment of Horse, and by a numerous Train of Coaches of the Nobility and Gentry. At his Entrance into the Town he was received by the Lord Mayor and Aldermen in their Formalities, and the Recorder made a Speech to Compliment him in the Name of the City. The Streets through which he passed were lined by the Regiments of the Army on Duty at this Place, together with the Militia. When he arrived at the Castle, the Guns were fired from thence. His Grace went directly to the Council-Chamber, and was Welcom'd at the Foot of the Stairs by four Lords of the Council, where he was immediately Sworn, and then he was again saluted by a triple Discharge of the Artillery, and by a Volley of small Shot. The Evening concluded with Illuminations, Bonfires, Ringing of Bells, and all other Demonstrations of Joy.

Windsor, November 1. John Chetwynd, Esq; Her Majesty's Envoy Extraordinary to the Court of Turin, is arrived from thence; and this Day he had the Honour to kiss Her Majesty's Hand.

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